who is misled or not properly informed by the Railroad Retirement Board of the requirement for, and the circumstances resulting in the loss of, a current connection; to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

By Mr. TIERNEY (for himself, Ms. McCollum of Minnesota, Mr. George MILLER of California, Mr. KILDEE, Mr. EMANUEL, Mr. BISHOP of New York, Mr. PAYNE, Ms. WOOLSEY, Mrs. McCarthy, Mr. Wu, Mr. Davis of Illinois, Mr. Grijalva, Mr. Meehan, Mr. Becerra, Mr. Reyes, Mr. Gonzalez, Ms. Linda T. Sánchez of California, Mr. McGovern, Ms. Delauro, Mr. OWENS, Mr. HINOJOSA, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. Holt, Mr. Case, Mr. Van Hollen, Mr. Ortiz, Mr. Gutierrez, Mr. CARDOZA, Mrs. JONES of Ohio, Ms. BALDWIN, Mr. WEXLER, Mr. BARROW, Mr. Jefferson, Mr. Ryan of Ohio, Ms. Solis, Ms. Velázquez, and Ms. SCHAKOWSKY):

H.R. 2739. A bill to address rising college tuition by strengthening the compact between the States, the Federal Government, and institutions of higher education to make college more affordable; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce.

By Mr. WYNN:

H.R. 2740. A bill to amend title 31. United States Code, to require the provision of a written prompt payment policy to each subcontractor under a Federal contract and to require a clause in each subcontract under a Federal contract that outlines the provisions of the prompt payment statute and other related information: to the Committee on Government Reform.

By Mr. WYNN:

H.R. 2741. A bill to amend the Small Business Act to provide a penalty for the failure by a Federal contractor to subcontract with small businesses as described in its subcontracting plan, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Small Business.

By Mr. WYNN:

H.R. 2742. A bill to amend the Small Business Act to increase the minimum Government-wide goal for procurement contracts awarded to small business concerns: to the Committee on Small Business.

By Mr. LANTOS (for himself, Mr. THOMAS, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey. Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Ms. Pelosi, Ms. Ros-Lehtinen, Mr. Faleomavaega, Mr. Rohr-Menendez. ABACHER, Mr.Mr. TANCREDO, Mr. BROWN of Ohio, Mr. PITTS, Mr. SHERMAN, Mr. WELLER, Mr. Wexler, Mr. Pence, Mr. Engel, Mr. Wolf, Mr. Delahunt, Mr. Poe, Ms. Lee, Mr. Souder, Mr. Crowley, Mr. Kirk, Mr. Blumenauer, Ms. Wat-SON, Ms. McCollum of Minnesota, Mr. EVANS, Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts, Ms. Delauro, Mr. Udall of New Mexico, Mr. Gutierrez, Mr. KUCINICH, Mr. DEFAZIO, Mr. SNYDER, Mr. McGovern, Mrs. Maloney, Mr. GRIJALVA, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, and Mr. STARK):

H.J. Res. 52. A joint resolution approving the renewal of import restrictions contained in the Burmese Freedom and Democracy Act of 2003; to the Committee on Ways and Means.

By Mr. PRICE of Georgia:

H. Con. Res. 167. Concurrent resolution providing for a conditional adjournment of the House of Representatives and a conditional recess or adjournment of the Senate; considered and agreed to.

By Mr. HYDE (for himself, Mr. CHABOT, Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. ROHRABACHER, Mr. PITTS, Mr. LYNCH, and Mr. FRANK of Massachusetts):

H. Con. Res. 168. Concurrent resolution condemning the Democratic People's Republic of Korea for the abductions and continued captivity of citizens of the Republic of Korea and Japan as acts of terrorism and gross violations of human rights; to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. BISHOP of New York (for himself and Mr. Jones of North Carolina):

H. Con. Res. 169. Concurrent resolution recognizing the families of the members of the Armed Forces for their contributions and sacrifices to the United States; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. EVANS: H. Con. Res. 170. Concurrent resolution supporting the goals and ideals of National Purple Heart Recognition Day: to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Mr. ISRAEL: H. Con. Res. 171. Concurrent resolution commending individuals that have participated in volunteer programs that repair the homes of families of deployed members of the Armed Forces, and in particular those of the National Guard and Reserves; to the Committee on Armed Services.

By Ms. McCOLLUM of Minnesota (for herself, Mr. LEACH, Mr. SHAYS, Ms. CARSON, Mr. OBERSTAR, Mr. CROWLEY, Mr. OLVER, Ms. WATSON, Mr. SERRANO, Mrs. DAVIS of California, Mr. KIND, Mr. MARKEY, Mr. JACKSON of Illinois, Ms. Eddie Bernice John-SON of Texas, Ms. Lee, Mr. Sabo, Mr. GEORGE MILLER of California, Mr. Brown of Ohio, Mrs. Christensen, Mr. Case, Ms. Delauro, Mr. Farr, Ms. Baldwin, Mr. Blumenauer, Mr. LYNCH, Mr. FATTAH, Mr. HONDA, Mrs. Maloney, Mrs. Capps, Mr. Meeks of New York, Mr. McGovern, and Mr. PAYNE): H. Con. Res. 172. Concurrent resolution af-

firming the commitment and leadership of the United States to improve the lives of the world's 1.3 billion people living in extreme poverty and conditions of misery: to the Committee on International Relations.

By Mr. PALLONE (for himself, Ms. PRYCE of Ohio, Ms. HART, Mr. HOLT, Mr. Menendez, Mr. Faleomavaega, Mr. BRADY of Pennsylvania, Mr. BISHOP of Georgia, Mr. CASE, Mr. KIND, Mr. WYNN, Mr. SKELTON, Mrs. MCCARTHY, Mr. SPRATT, Mr. CHAN-DLER, Ms. CARSON, Mr. McDermott, Mr. Van Hollen, Mr. Tanner, Mr. MORAN of Virginia, Mr. KUCINICH, Mrs. Jones of Ohio, Mr. Costello, Mr. Brown of Ohio, Mr. Conyers, Mr. SERRANO, Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas, Ms. Eddie Bernice Johnson of Texas, Ms. Bordallo, Mr. Grijalva, Mr. DAVIS of Florida, Mr. Scott of Georgia, Mr. Wexler, Ms. Corrine Brown of Florida, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. GIB-BONS, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. Porter, Mr. Turner, Mr. Jones of North Carolina, Mrs. Northup, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. ALEXANDER, Mr. GOODE, Mr. KENNEDY of Minnesota, Mr. GOODLATTE, Mr. BART-LETT of Maryland, Mr. GREEN of Wisconsin, Mrs. Myrick, Mr. Fossella. Mr. SHIMKUS, Mr. PLATTS, Mr. SES-SIONS Ms. HARRIS Mr. HERGER and Mr. KING of New York):

H. Con. Res. 173. Concurrent resolution expressing support for the goals of Veterans Educate Today's Students (VETS) Day, and for other purposes: to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

By Mr. BISHOP of New York:

H. Res. 299. A resolution expressing the sense of the House that the President should take immediate action to initiate measures to lower the burden of gasoline prices on the economy of the United States, prevent Members of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries from reaping windfall profits on sales of oil to the United States, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce, and in addition to the Committees on International Relations, and the Judiciary, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

> By Mr. WILSON of South Carolina (for himself, Mr. SPRATT, Mr. CLYBURN, Mr. BROWN of South Carolina, Mr. BARRETT of South Carolina, and Mr. INGLIS of South Carolina):

H. Res. 300. A resolution recognizing the South Carolina Farm Bureau Mutual Insurance Company on the occasion of its 50th anniversary and saluting the outstanding service of the Company to the people of South Carolina; to the Committee on Financial Services.

> By Mr. BISHOP of New York (for himself, Mr. KING of New York, Mr. ISRAEL, Mr. WELDON of Pennsylvania. Mrs. McCarthy, Mr. Ackerman, Mr. HIGGINS, and Mr. ANDREWS):

H. Res. 301. A resolution recognizing career and volunteer Emergency Medical Technicians and Paramedics for their bravery and critically important life-saving responsibilities in responding to crises and safeguarding the public; to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

By Mr. POMBO (for himself, Mr. Pick-ERING, Mr. JINDAL, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, Ms. BORDALLO, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. RADANOVICH, CHRISTENSEN, Mr. UDALL of Colorado, Mr. FERGUSON, Mr. GARY G. MILLER of California, Mr. FITZPATRICK of Pennsylvania, Mr. Kuhl of New York, Mr. CANNON, Mr. CASTLE, Mr. Doo-LITTLE, Ms. HERSETH, Mr. SOUDER, Mr. GOHMERT, Mr. ROGERS of Michigan, Mr. WALDEN of Oregon, Mr. ISSA, Mr. Case, Mr. Calvert, Mr. Davis of Tennessee, Mr. McCaul of Texas, Mr. TANNER, Mr. KIND, Mr. GRAVES, Mr. WILSON of South Carolina, Mr. SIMP-SON, Mr. RYAN of Ohio, and Mr. ALEX-ANDER):

H. Res. 302. A resolution recognizing and commending the continuing dedication and commitment of employers of the members of the National Guard and the other reserve components who have been mobilized during the Global War on Terrorism and in defense of the United States; to the Committee on Education and the Workforce, and in addition to the Committee on Armed Services, for a period to be subsequently determined by the Speaker, in each case for consideration of such provisions as fall within the jurisdiction of the committee concerned.

PRIVATE BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 3 of rule XII,

Mr. CUELLAR introduced a bill (H.R. 2743) for the relief of Aida Abigail Trevino de Zamarron; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

ADDITIONAL SPONSORS

Under clause 7 of rule XII, sponsors were added to public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 11: Mr. BOUSTANY, Mr. ORTIZ, Mr. REYES, and Ms. JACKSON-LEE of Texas.